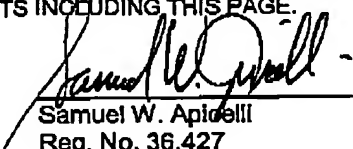


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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 19, 2005 the above-identified  
application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which  
begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**A PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** has been filed, concurrently with  
this Amendment, extending the time for response to the Official Action one (1)  
month, from July 19, 2005, to August 19, 2005.